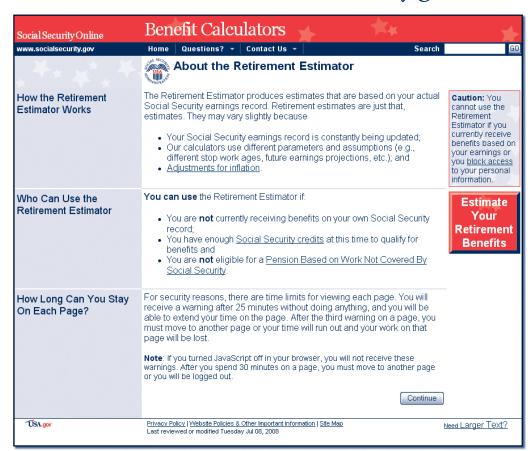
# How To Use The Online Retirement Estimator



# www.socialsecurity.gov/estimator



#### The Retirement Estimator

- How it works;
- Who can use it; and
- Time limits.

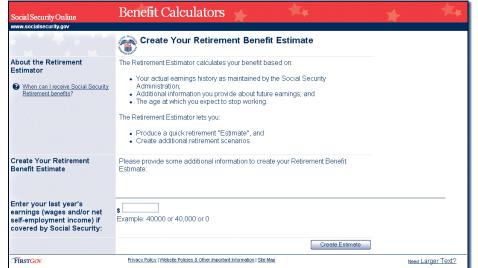
## Step One

What you need to fill out:

- Name;
- Social Security number;
- Date of birth;
- Place of birth; and
- Mother's maiden name.

Social Security Online www.socialsecurity.gov	Social Security Online Services	* *	*
	Information We Need Please provide the following information:		
Enter your full name: First name; middle initial, if any; las name; Suffix, if any	st		
Other last name:  For example, your name as shown on a recent letter from Social Security or your maiden name			
Enter Your Social Security number: Enter numbers without dashes, for example, 123456789			
Select your date of birth:	M M		
Place of birth: Select state or enter name of foreign country of birth	U.S. State or Territory  Or Foreign Country	M	
Mother's Maiden Name: Last name only			
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#### Step Two

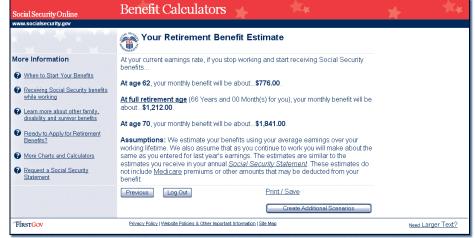
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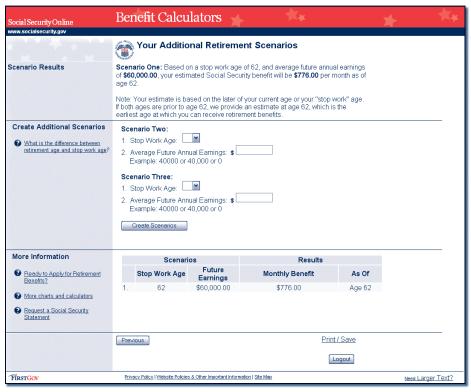
- Actual earnings; and
- Future estimated earnings.



# Step Three Your estimate:

- At age 62, or current age if older than 62;
- At full retirement age; and
- At age 70.







### **Additional Features**

- Create additional scenarios:
  - -Change "stop work" age; and
  - —Change future earnings.
- Request a *Social Security Statement*; and
- Apply for retirement benefits.



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